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disposing a conductive material on one or more surfaces of a substrate to form two or more electrodes comprising a working electrode and a counter electrode; and

forming a product sensor comprising the substrate having disposed thereon the two or more electrodes, the product sensor having a width in the range of about 500 μm [(10 mil)] to about 2500 μm [(50 mil)].

Remarks

This Amendment is submitted to clarify a number of items. Claims 2 and 4 have been cancelled and claims 49, 58, 59, and 96 have been amended. Claims 1, 3, 5-42, 44-59, 61-73, and 75-101 are presently pending. No new matter has been added.

Amendments were made to the specification to update the text and provide serial numbers and publication numbers for patent applications referenced therein.

The cancellation of claims 2 and 4 was made to further consider whether these claims are better presented in a continuation application. Claims 58 and 59 were amended to remove reference to claim 2, which has been cancelled. Claims 49 and 96 were amended to remove extraneous text, including, in the case of claim 96, reference to alternative units of measurement.

These amendments should be entered, because none of the amendments requires an additional search or examination. The amendments to the claims resulted in either canceling a claim or making editorial changes that should not affect claim scope. All of the pending claims remain patentable. The amendments were made as a result of a standard review of the application after receiving the Notice of Allowance. Accordingly, the Applicants request that the amendments be entered in this case.

Conclusion

The Applicant respectfully submits that each of the presently pending claims is in condition for allowance and notification of the entry of this amendment is respectfully requested.